House Resolution No. 839

Whereas, from time to time the members of the Missouri House of Representatives are called upon to recognize the meritorious endeavors of outstanding Missourians, a task which this legislative body embraces with great enthusiasm; and

Whereas, Connie S. Hale of Martinsburg, Missouri, will retire from her position as General Manager with Handi-Shop, Incorporated, on February 29, 2008, following twenty-seven years of steadfast and admirable service; and

Whereas, Connie Hale is an outstanding individual who has faithfully performed her important duties and responsibilities with the utmost professionalism, conscientiousness, and fairness; and

Whereas, Connie Hale is known, admired, and respected for her helpful attitude, warm smile, and friendly manner in which she has always greeted people in and around the community, a unique quality that will be greatly missed by her many co-workers; and

Whereas, Connie Hale will also be remembered for her never-ending commitment to better the lives of disabled individuals through vocational opportunities; and

Whereas, in addition, Connie Hale has enjoyed recognition as a fifteen-year member of the Mexico Kiwanis Club, an officer with the Missouri Association of Sheltered Workshop Managers, a member of St. John Lutheran Church in Mexico, and a volunteer LPN at Camp Barnabas; and

Whereas, Connie Hale will undoubtedly look back over the past several years and reminisce about her many worthwhile experiences and her special relationships with revered colleagues while basking in the glow of a successful career now at its end; and

Whereas, Connie Hale has been blessed with the love and support of a wonderful family whose members include her husband, Warren Hale; four children, Brian, Mike, Mark, and Julie; and five grandchildren:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, join in expressing deep gratitude for the superb service that Connie Hale has rendered to the Handi-Shop during the past twenty-seven years and in wishing her ample opportunity to enjoy the better things life has to offer; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Connie S. Hale, as a measure of our esteem for her.

Offered by	
	Representative Steve Hobbs
	District No. 21

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, Second Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 839, adopted February 27, 2008.